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**ANNUAL REPORT**

OF

Name: PRICE COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY

Principal Office: 105 NORTH AVON AVENUE  
P.O. BOX 108  
PHILLIPS, WI 54555-0108

For the Year Ended: DECEMBER 31, 2000

TELECOMMUNICATIONS UTILITY  
TO  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

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I CATHERINE M. MESS of  
(Person responsible for accounts)

PRICE COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY, certify that I  
(Utility Name)

am the person responsible for accounts; that I have examined the following report and, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, it is a correct statement of the business and affairs of said utility for the period covered by the report in respect to each and every matter set forth therein.

CATHERINE M. MESS 03/26/2001  
(Person responsible for accounts) (Date)

SECRETARY  
(Title)

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## **ANNUAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS REPORT GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

<b>Access Line</b>	Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency transmission, and/or time slot transmission. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice channel or a 64 kilobits per second digital channel.
<b>Analog Signal</b>	A signal that varies in a continuous manner such as voice or music. An analog signal must be contrasted with a digital signal which can assume only discrete values.
<b>Cellular System</b>	A high capacity land mobile radio system in which an assigned frequency spectrum is divided into discrete channels that are assigned to a cellular geographic serving area.
<b>Central Office</b>	A switching unit in a telephone system providing service to the general public, having the necessary equipment and operating arrangements for terminating and interconnecting lines and trunks.
<b>Centrex</b>	A service for customers with many stations that permits station-to-station dialing, one listed directory number for the customer, direct inward dialing to a particular station and station identification on outgoing calls. The switching functions are performed in a central office (stand alone, host or remote).
<b>Channel</b>	An electrical communications path between two or more points. A single pair of wires may provide more than one channel. A channel may also be provided by microwave.
<b>Customer</b>	A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.
<b>Digital Signal</b>	A signal that has a limited number of discrete states. This may be contrasted with an analog signal that varies in a continuous manner and may have an infinite number of states.
<b>Equal Access</b>	The ability of the subscriber to use any long distance service by dialing the same number of digits.
<b>Exchange</b>	A defined area served by one or more central offices regardless of technical serving arrangements within which the company furnishes service at rates and rules prescribed for that area in the company's filed tariffs. The area is not necessarily marked by political boundaries or the location of host or remote switching units.
<b>Extended Area Service (EAS)</b>	The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at no additional charge or at an additional charge per tariff.
<b>Extended Community Calling (ECC)</b>	The ability of a customer to call customers in other exchanges at rates usually above EAS rates but below toll rates for comparable distances. Rates generally include a duration element.
<b>Feature Group A</b>	Line-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials an assigned telephone number that connects to a specific interexchange carrier (IC). The IC returns a tone to signal the caller to input additional generated digits of the called number.

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<b>Feature Group B</b>	Trunk-side originating and terminating LATA access for which an originating subscriber dials a 950-WXXX number (where W=0, 1 and XXX is the carrier access code (CAC)), which is translated to a specific XXX carrier trunk group. Optional rotary dial service and ANI may be available.
<b>Feature Group C</b>	Trunk-side LATA access for AT&T-Communications generally on a direct basis between each end office (EO) and an AT&T-C switching system.
<b>Feature Group D</b>	Also referred to as equal access. It is trunk-side LATA access affording call supervision of an interexchange carrier, a uniform access code (10XXXXX), optional calling party identification, recording of access-charge billing details and presubscription to a customer specified interexchange carrier.
<b>FX-IN</b>	A nonswitched service where the customer of the company is connected to and receives switching service through central office equipment located in another exchange area.
<b>FX-OUT</b>	A switched service where facilities are provided from the central office out to the exchange boundary where it meets the line from a foreign exchange subscriber.
<b>Host Switching System</b>	A switching system that provides centralized control over most of the switching functions of one or more remote switching units. The host switching system usually provides trunk access to the operating company intraLATA networks.
<b>Local Access Transport Area (LATA)</b>	A geographic area within which an operating company may offer its telecommunications services.
<b>Mobile Telephone</b>	A service which provides radio telephone communication from a mobile vehicle to another vehicle or to a regular telephone.
<b>Paging</b>	A service which provides one-way signal or voice communication over a radio channel to a miniature receiver carried by the customer.
<b>Pair</b>	Two wires of a single circuit.
<b>Pay Station</b>	A telephone which normally requires all users to deposit one or more coins or use a credit card to complete a call.
<b>Private Line Service</b>	Channel or circuit rented for private use and not intended to be connected to the general distribution system.
<b>Private Branch Exchange (PBX)</b>	A manually, or operator controlled switching system, usually on the customer's premises, which serves that customer's telephones over a common group of lines from the central office.
<b>Radio Common Carrier (RCC)</b>	A company which furnishes public telecommunications service using one or more radio channels.
<b>Remote Switching Unit (RSU)</b>	An electronic switching system that is remote from its host or control office. All of the central control equipment for the RSU is located in the host switching system.

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<b>Route Miles</b>	<p>Total number of route miles (to the nearest mile) of operating plant facilities including drop wire in the exchange. One route mile may consist of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. One mile of roadway with any combination of outside plant facilities on any number of rights-of-way.</li><li>2. One mile of a cross country route with any combination of outside plant facilities.</li><li>3. One mile of point-to-point microwave or radio link.</li><li>4. One mile of plant on either side of a limited access highway or natural barrier, such as a navigable waterway.</li><li>5. One mile of joint use line where the utility either owns the facility or leases space.</li></ol>
<b>Stand Alone Switch</b>	<p>A central office switch which has no remote switching units (RSUs) subtending it.</p>
<b>Trunk</b>	<p>A communications path connecting two switching systems in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.</p>
<b>Wide Area Telephone Service (WATS)</b>	<p>Customer leased access line or lines connected to the nationwide network over which an unlimited number of calls can be made for a fixed monthly charge.</p>
<b>Wire Center</b>	<p>The location of one or more local switching systems. A point at which customers' loops converge.</p>

## ABBREVIATIONS USED IN ANNUAL REPORTS

<b>Acct</b>	.....	Account
<b>Accum</b>	.....	Accumulated
<b>Acq</b>	.....	Acquisition
<b>Admin</b>	.....	Administrative
<b>Alloc</b>	.....	Allocation
<b>Amort</b>	.....	Amortization
 <b>CO</b>	 .....	 Central Office
 <b>Depr</b>	 .....	 Depreciation
 <b>Equip</b>	 .....	 Equipment
<b>Exp</b>	.....	Expenses
<b>EOY</b>	.....	End of Year
 <b>FOY</b>	 .....	 First of Year
 <b>Info</b>	 .....	 Information
<b>ITC</b>	.....	Investment Tax Credit
 <b>Misc</b>	 .....	 Miscellaneous
 <b>Nonoper</b>	 .....	 Nonoperating
<b>Nonreg</b>	.....	Nonregulated
 <b>Oper</b>	 .....	 Operating
<b>Opns</b>	.....	Operations
<b>Orig</b>	.....	Originating
 <b>Prop</b>	 .....	 Property
 <b>Receiv</b>	 .....	 Receivable
<b>Reg</b>	.....	Regulated
<b>Rev</b>	.....	Revenues
 <b>Svcs</b>	 .....	 Services
 <b>Telecom</b>	 .....	 Telecommunications
<b>Term</b>	.....	Terminating
<b>TPIS</b>	.....	Telecommunications Plant in Service
<b>TPUC</b>	.....	Telecommunications Plant Under Construction
 <b>Uncoll</b>	 .....	 Uncollectible

## IDENTIFICATION AND OWNERSHIP

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**Exact Utility Name:** PRICE COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY  
**Utility Location:** 105 NORTH AVON AVENUE  
P.O. BOX 108  
PHILLIPS, WI 54555-0108

**Utility Web Site Address:**

**When was utility organized?:** 01/01/1929

**Report any change in name and the effective date:**

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**List names, addresses, and number of shares held by persons owning 5 percent or more of outstanding voting securities. If any stock is held by a nominee, give known particulars as to the beneficial owner (See Wis. Stat. § 196.795(1)(c), for definition of beneficial owner).**

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**Name:** CATHERINE M. MESS  
**Address:** 214 BEEBE STREET  
 PHILLIPS, WI 54555

**Number of Shares Held:** 35,910  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** JAMES A. TAYLOR  
**Address:** PO BOX 203  
 FREEMONT, WI 54940

**Number of Shares Held:** 138,800  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** MESS FAMILY TRUST  
**Address:** 175 N. ARGYLE AVE  
 PHILLIPS, WI 54555

**Number of Shares Held:** 33,900  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** MR & MRS ROBERT O. MESS  
**Address:** 214 BEEBE STREET  
 PHILLIPS, WI 54555

**Number of Shares Held:** 84,586  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**Name:** P.K.R. CORPORATION  
**Address:** PO BOX 108  
 PHILLIPS, WI 54555

**Number of Shares Held:** 45,600  
**Beneficial Owner:** NONE

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**List companies owned, controlled, or operated and form and extent of such ownership, control or operation.**

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**Company Name:** PRICE COUNTY INFORMATION SYSTEMS, INC.  
**Form of Interest:** OWNED  
**Extent Of Interest:** 100%

**INCOME STATEMENT - TOTAL COMPANY**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
Operating Revenues (5000-5300)	3,242,005	3,257,807	<b>1</b>
<b>Operating Expenses</b>			
Plant Specific Operations Expense (6110-6410)	227,782	288,129	<b>2</b>
Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense	1,362,282	917,607	<b>3</b>
Customer Operations Expense (6610-6620)	276,698	269,143	<b>4</b>
Corporate Operations Expense (6710-6790)	305,845	288,401	<b>5</b>
Other Operating Income and Expense (7100)	0	0	<b>6</b>
Operating Taxes (7200)	397,777	501,001	<b>7</b>
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<b>2,570,384</b>	<b>2,264,281</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Net Operating Income</b>	<b>671,621</b>	<b>993,526</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Other Income</b>			
Nonoperating Income and Expense (7300)	231,283	249,714	<b>10</b>
Nonoperating Taxes (7400)	85,122	102,595	<b>11</b>
Interest and Related Items (7500)	238,379	250,962	<b>12</b>
Extraordinary Items (7600)	0	0	<b>13</b>
Nonregulated Net Income (7990)	1,735	(6,273)	<b>14</b>
<b>Total Nonoperating Income</b>	<b>(90,483)</b>	<b>(110,116)</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>581,138</b>	<b>883,410</b>	<b>16</b>

## NOTES TO INCOME STATEMENT OR BALANCE SHEET

In the space provided below, disclose all material information not included elsewhere in this report that is necessary to make the financial statements clear and understandable. Included should be:

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1. A summary of significant accounting policies. (The summaries should disclose, but not be limited to, the utility's accounting policies with regard to pension cost, unbilled revenues, depreciation, and income taxes.)

The accounting policies of the Company conform to generally accepted accounting principles. Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing its financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses, and the disclosure of contingent revenues and expenses. Telephone operations reflect practices appropriate to the telephone industry. The accounting records of the Company are maintained in accordance with the Uniform System of Accounts for Class A and B Telephone Companies prescribed by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) as modified by the state regulatory authority.

### A. Property and Equipment

Telephone plant and other property are capitalized at original cost including the capitalized cost of salaries and wages, materials, certain payroll taxes, employee benefits and interest incurred during the construction period.

The Company provides for depreciation for financial reporting purposes on the straight-line method by the application of rates based on the estimated service lives of the various classes of depreciable property as approved by the Board of Directors. These estimates are subject to change in the near term.

The Company reduced the estimated lives of certain telephone plant effective January 1, 2000, resulting in increased depreciation for 2000 of \$371,269.

Renewals and betterments of units of property are charged to telephone plant in service. When telephone plant is retired, its cost is removed from the asset account and charged against accumulated depreciation together with removal cost less any salvage realized. No gains or losses are recognized in connection with routine retirements of depreciable property. Repairs and renewals of minor items of property are included in plant specific operations expense.

Repairs of other property, as well as renewals of minor items, are charged to plant specific operations expense. A gain or loss is recognized when other property is sold or retired.

### B. Income Taxes

Income taxes are accounted for using a liability method and provide for the tax effects of transactions reported in the financial statements including both taxes currently due and deferred. Deferred taxes are adjusted to reflect deferred tax consequences at current enacted tax

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adjusted to reflect deferred tax consequences at current enacted tax rates. Deferred income taxes reflect the net tax effects of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for income tax purposes. Significant components of the Company's deferred taxes arise primarily from differences between the basis of plant and equipment for financial and income tax reporting. The deferred tax assets and liabilities represent the future tax return consequences of those differences, which will either be taxable or deductible, when the assets and liabilities are recovered or settled.

Investment tax credits (ITC), which were deferred prior to the Tax Reform Act of 1986, are being amortized over the regulatory life of the plant which produced the ITC.

### C. Revenue Recognition

Revenues are recognized when earned regardless of the period in which they are billed.

Local network service revenues are recognized over the period a subscriber is connected to the network. Telephone calls within an extended community calling area are recognized when made based on a rate per minute of usage as approved by the state regulatory authority.

Network access service revenues are derived from charges for access to the Company's local exchange network. The interstate portion of access revenues is based, in part, on a cost separation procedure administered by the National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA) which is regulated by the FCC. The intrastate portion of access revenues is billed on an individual company tariff access charge structure based on expense and plant investment of the Company as approved by the state regulatory authority.

### D. Cash Equivalents

All highly liquid investments with a maturity of

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2. A summary of significant contingent assets and liabilities existing at year end, including a brief explanation of any action initiated by the Internal Revenue Service, Wisconsin Department of Revenue, or the utility involving a possible assessment or refund of taxes.

None.

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3. The notes should include an explicit and precise explanation of any retained earnings restrictions and should state the amount of retained earnings affected by such restrictions.

The mortgage to the United States of America, underlying the RUS and RTB notes, contains certain restrictions on the declaration or payment of cash dividends, redemption of capital stock or investment in affiliated companies, except as might be specifically authorized in writing in advance by the RUS and RTB noteholders. As of December 31, 2000, the maximum amount which could be distributed in accordance with these restrictions was \$3,207,848, except as might be specifically authorized in writing in advance by the RUS and RTB noteholders.

**BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

Particulars (a)	Balance--EOY (b)	Balance--FOY (c)	
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>CASH AND EQUIVALENTS</b>			
Cash and Equivalents (1120)*	90,229	1,049,268	1
Cash (1130)			2
Special Cash Deposits (1140)			3
Working Cash Advances (1150)			4
Temporary Investments (1160)			5
<b>TOTAL CASH AND EQUIVALENTS</b>	<b>90,229</b>	<b>1,049,268</b>	
<b>RECEIVABLES AND ALLOWANCES FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNTS</b>			
Telecommunications Accounts Receivable (1180)*	143,807	131,013	6
Accounts Receivable Allowance-Telecom (1181)*	0	0	7
<b>Net: Telecommunications Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>143,807</b>	<b>131,013</b>	
Other Accounts Receivable (1190)*	1,718,212	654,337	8
Accounts Receivable Allowance--Other (1191)*	0	0	9
<b>Net: Other Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>1,718,212</b>	<b>654,337</b>	
Notes Receivable (1200)*	11,111	11,111	10
Notes Receivable Allowance (1201)*		0	11
<b>Net: Notes Receivable</b>	<b>11,111</b>	<b>11,111</b>	
Interest and Dividends Receivable (1210)*	20,947	62,006	12
<b>TOTAL REC AND ALLOW FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>1,894,077</b>	<b>858,467</b>	
<b>SUPPLIES</b>			
Inventories (1220)*	63,266	51,921	13
<b>TOTAL SUPPLIES</b>	<b>63,266</b>	<b>51,921</b>	
<b>PREPAYMENTS</b>			
Total Prepayments (1280)*	11,423	10,163	14
Prepaid Rents (1290)			15
Prepaid Taxes (1300)			16
Prepaid Insurance (1310)			17
Prepaid Directory Expenses (1320)			18
Other Prepayments (1330)			19
<b>TOTAL PREPAYMENTS</b>	<b>11,423</b>	<b>10,163</b>	
<b>OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Other Current Assets (1350)*	0	0	20
<b>TOTAL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>2,058,995</b>	<b>1,969,819</b>	
<b>NONCURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>			
Investment in Affiliated Companies (1401)*	359,248	224,009	21
RTB Class B Stock (1402)*	200,250	200,250	22
Other Investments in Nonaffiliated Companies (1402)*	2,234,052	4,157,626	23
Nonregulated Investments (1406)*	188,015	313,299	24
Unamortized Debt Issuance Expense (1407)*	4,273	4,466	25
Sinking Funds (1408)*	0	0	26

**BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

Particulars (a)	Balance--EOY (b)	Balance--FOY (c)	
<b>NONCURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>			
Other Noncurrent Assets (1410)*	31,481	42,592	27
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b>	<b>3,017,319</b>	<b>4,942,242</b>	
<b>DEFERRED CHARGES</b>			
Deferred Tax Regulatory Asset (1437)*	0	0	28
Deferred Maintenance and Retirements (1438)*	0	0	29
Deferred Charges (1439)*	0	(11,104)	30
<b>TOTAL DEFERRED CHARGES</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(11,104)</b>	
<b>TOTAL NONCURRENT ASSETS</b>	<b>3,017,319</b>	<b>4,931,138</b>	
<b>PLANT</b>			
<b>TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE</b>			
Telecommunications Plant in Service (2001)*	14,713,648	13,815,666	31
Less: Accumulated Depreciation (3100)*	8,874,538	7,758,344	32
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Capitalized Leases (3410)*	0	0	33
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Leasehold Improvements (3420)*	0	0	34
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Intangible (3500)*		0	35
<b>NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE</b>	<b>5,839,110</b>	<b>6,057,322</b>	
<b>PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE</b>			
Prop. Held for Future Telecommun. Use (2002)*	0	0	36
Less: Accumulated Depreciation--Held for Future Telecommunications Use (3200)*	0	0	37
<b>NET PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE USE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>NONOPERATING PLANT</b>			
Nonoperating Plant (2006)*	0	0	38
Less: Accumulated Depreciation--Nonoperating (3300)*		0	39
<b>NET NONOPERATING PLANT</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TPUC</b>			
TPUC (2003)*	1,837,857	61,959	40
<b>TOTAL TPUC</b>	<b>1,837,857</b>	<b>61,959</b>	
<b>TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT</b>			
Telecommunications Plant Adjustment (2005)*	0	0	41
Less: Accumulated Amortization--Other (3600)*	0	0	42
<b>NET TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT ADJUSTMENT</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>TOTAL PLANT</b>	<b>7,676,967</b>	<b>6,119,281</b>	
<b>TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS</b>	<b>12,753,281</b>	<b>13,020,238</b>	

**BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Balance--EOY (b)</b>	<b>Balance--FOY (c)</b>	
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Accounts Payable (4010)*	259,895	253,787	1
Notes Payable (4020)*	0	0	2
Advance Billing and Payments (4030)*	19,612	21,979	3
Customer Deposits (4040)*	5,475	5,375	4
Current Maturities--Long-Term Debt (4050)*	267,631	281,218	5
Current Maturities--Capital Leases (4060)*	0	0	6
Income Taxes--Accrued (4070)*	(41,203)	52,313	7
Other Taxes--Accrued (4080)*	98	(17,334)	8
Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4100)*	0	0	9
Net Current Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4110)*	0	0	10
Other Accrued Liabilities (4120)*	41,266	42,848	11
Other Current Liabilities (4130)*	0	0	12
<b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>	<b>552,774</b>	<b>640,186</b>	
<b>LONG-TERM DEBT</b>			
Funded Debt (4210)*	3,924,489	4,189,351	13
Premium on Long-Term Debt (4220)*	0	0	14
Discount on Long-Term Debt (4230)*	0	0	15
Reacquired Debt (4240)*	0	0	16
Obligations Under Capital Leases (4250)*	0	0	17
Advances from Affiliated Companies (4260)*	0	0	18
Other Long-Term Debt (4270)*			19
<b>TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT</b>	<b>3,924,489</b>	<b>4,189,351</b>	
<b>OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS</b>			
Other Long-Term Liabilities (4310)*	0	0	20
Unamortized Operating ITC--Net (4320)*	5,445	21,771	21
Unamortized Nonoperating ITC--Net (4330)*	0	0	22
Net Noncurrent Deferred Operating Income Taxes (4340)*	240,018	373,868	23
Net Deferred Tax Liability Adjustments (4341)*	(22,933)	(33,373)	24
Net Noncurrent Deferred Nonoperating Income Taxes (4350)*	1,990	31,700	25
Other Deferred Credits (4360)*	0	71,918	26
Deferred Tax Regulatory Liability (4361)*	52,821	63,332	27
<b>TOTAL OTHER LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED CREDITS</b>	<b>277,341</b>	<b>529,216</b>	
<b>STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>			
Capital Stock (4510)*	655,200	655,200	28
Additional Paid-in Capital (4520)*	0	0	29
Treasury Stock (4530)*	0	0	30
Other Capital (4540)*	11,871	26,497	31
Retained Earnings (4550)*	7,331,606	6,979,788	32
<b>TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>	<b>7,998,677</b>	<b>7,661,485</b>	
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND OTHER CREDITS</b>	<b>12,753,281</b>	<b>13,020,238</b>	

### **IMPORTANT CHANGES DURING THE YEAR**

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1. Estimated increase or decrease in annual revenues due to important rate changes, giving bases of estimates.

**None .**

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2. Additional matters of fact (not elsewhere provided for) which respondent may desire to include in its report.

**None .**

## AFFILIATE ABBREVIATIONS

In column (b) provide the abbreviation for the name of the affiliate shown in column (a). Limit abbreviations to 10 characters or less. Use these abbreviations when completing the affiliated interest schedules. Insert "Other" in the Abbreviations column if the activity to be reported for a particular record in the Affiliated Interest Transactions or Affiliated Assets and Liabilities schedule represents an aggregation of activity not exceeding the dollar or percentage limits set forth in the header of that schedule.

Name of Affiliate (a)	Abbreviations (b)	
Computer Systems Limited Liability Corporation	CSLLC	1
Other	OTH	2
Price County Information Systems, Inc.	PCIS	3
Wisconsin Independent Network, LLC	WIN	4

**AFFILIATED INTEREST TRANSACTIONS**

Provide a summary of transactions under established affiliated interest contracts and arrangements (see Wis. Stat. § 196.52, for "affiliated interest" definitions). Use the space below to report transactions with individual affiliates and multiple affiliated interest agreements or, at the utility's option, with individual affiliates and a single agreement. Activity associated with affiliated contracts or arrangements not in excess of \$25,000 or 5 percent of the equity of the utility, whichever is smaller, may be aggregated in a single record. For utilities whose intrastate gross operating revenues of the previous year exceeded \$100,000,000, individual contracts or arrangements not exceeding \$100,000 may be aggregated in a single record. Where an affiliate is both providing and receiving service use one record to show billings to and a second record for billings from. When billings to or from an affiliate are recorded on the books of the utility, the records underlying such billings shall be sufficient to show all the detail maintained to identify the associated accounts related to the billing.

<b>Particulars</b>				
<b>(a)</b>	<b>(b)</b>	<b>(c)</b>	<b>(d)</b>	<b>(e)</b>
Docket	6000AT101			
Name of Affiliate	CSLLC			<b>1</b>
Designate whether billed to or from:	FROM			<b>2</b>
Cost Based (C), Market Price (M), Prevailing Price (P), Tariff (T), Other (O)	M			<b>3</b>
Total Dollar Activity	---CONF---			<b>4</b>
Percent of affiliate's business billed to all affiliated regulated utilities	---CONF---			<b>5</b>
If cost based, rate of return on equity or markup incorporated in billings	---CONF---			<b>6</b>
Footnotes				

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B**

<b>Plant Account (a)</b>	<b>Account (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Additions (d)</b>	
<b>GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS</b>				
Land	2111	62,247		1
Motor Vehicles	2112	160,322		2
Aircraft	2113	0		3
Special Purpose Vehicles	2114	0		4
Garage Work Equipment	2115	0		5
Other Work Equipment	2116	155,385	1,770	6
Buildings	2121	469,241	156,201	7
Furniture	2122	9,882	34,644	8
Office Equipment	2123	28,731	99	9
General Purpose Computers	2124	78,765	1,055	10
<b>TOTAL--GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS:</b>		<b>964,573</b>	<b>193,769</b>	
<b>CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS</b>				
Analog Electronic Switching	2211	0		11
Digital Electronic Switching	2212	2,306,139	5,006	12
Electro-Mechanical Switching	2215	0	0	13
Operator Systems	2220	0		14
Radio Systems	2231	20,163	0	15
Circuit Equipment	2232	805,909	20,799	16 A
<b>TOTAL--CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS:</b>		<b>3,132,211</b>	<b>25,805</b>	
<b>INFORMATION ORIGATION/TERMINATION ASSETS</b>				
Station Apparatus	2311	0		17
Customer Premises Wiring	2321	0		18
Large Private Branch Exchanges	2341	0		19
Public Telephone Terminal Equipment	2351	0		20
Other Terminal Equipment	2362	1,596		21
<b>TOTAL--INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS:</b>		<b>1,596</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>				
Poles	2411	0		22
Aerial Cable	2421	0	0	23
Underground Cable	2422	370,530	9,180	24 A
Buried Cable	2423	8,198,586	795,221	25 A
Submarine Cable	2424	0	0	26
Deep Sea Cable	2425	0		27
Intrabuilding Network Cable	2426	0	0	28
Aerial Wire	2431	0		29
Conduit Systems	2441	1,148,170	2,907	30
<b>TOTAL--CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS:</b>		<b>9,717,286</b>	<b>807,308</b>	
<b>AMORTIZABLE ASSETS</b>				
Capital Leases	2681	0		31

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Account (e)</b>	<b>Retirements (f)</b>	<b>Transfers / Adjustments (g)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (h)</b>	
2111			62,247	1
2112			160,322	2
2113			0	3
2114			0	4
2115			0	5
2116			157,155	6
2121	10,656		614,786	7
2122	8,088		36,438	8
2123	7,082	0	21,748	9
2124	10,679		69,141	10
	36,505	0	1,121,837	
2211			0	11
2212	0	0	2,311,145	12
2215	0	0	0	13
2220			0	14
2231	0	0	20,163	15
2232	0	(2,801)	823,907	16 A
	0	(2,801)	3,155,215	
2311			0	17
2321			0	18
2341			0	19
2351			0	20
2362			1,596	21
	0	0	1,596	
2411			0	22
2421	0	0	0	23
2422	0	(43,821)	335,889	24 A
2423	92,395	46,622	8,948,034	25 A
2424	0	0	0	26
2425			0	27
2426	0	0	0	28
2431			0	29
2441			1,151,077	30
	92,395	2,801	10,435,000	
2681			0	31

## TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B

Plant Account (a)	Account (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Additions (d)
<b>AMORTIZABLE ASSETS</b>			
Leasehold Improvements	2682	0	32
Intangibles	2690	0	33
<b>TOTAL--AMORTIZABLE ASSETS:</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>TOTAL TELECOM. PLANT IN SERVICE</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>13,815,666</b>	<b>1,026,882</b>
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - EOY	2001		34
<b>NET REG. TOTAL TELE. PLANT IN SERV. - EOY</b>	<b>2001</b>		

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Account (e)</b>	<b>Retirements (f)</b>	<b>Transfers / Adjustments (g)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (h)</b>	
2682			0	32
2690			0	33
	0	0	0	
	128,900	0	14,713,648	
2001			0	34
			14,713,648	

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)**

Report telecommunications plant data for each subaccount where primary plant accounts have subclassifications. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone plant at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

<b>Plant Subaccount (a)</b>	<b>Subaccount (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Additions (d)</b>	
Office Support Equipment	2123.1	15,025		<b>1</b>
Company Communications Equipment	2123.2	13,706	99	<b>2</b>
Software	2212.1	195,570		<b>3</b>
Digital Switching - Central Office	2212.2	2,110,569	5,006	<b>4</b>
Digital Switching - Remote	2212.3	0		<b>5</b>
Step by Step Switching	2215.1	0		<b>6</b>
Crossbar Switching	2215.2	0		<b>7</b>
Satellite and Earth Station Facilities	2231.1	20,163		<b>8</b>
Other Radio Facilities	2231.2	0		<b>9</b>
Digital Circuit Equipment	2232.1	805,909	20,799	<b>10 A</b>
Analog Circuit Equipment	2232.2	0		<b>11</b>
Light Wave Circuit Equipment	2232.3	0		<b>12</b>
Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic	2421.1	0		<b>13</b>
Aerial Cable - Metallic	2421.2	0		<b>14</b>
Underground Cable - Nonmetallic	2422.1	102,440		<b>15</b>
Underground Cable - Metallic	2422.2	268,090	9,180	<b>16 A</b>
Buried Cable - Nonmetallic	2423.1	645,580	552,782	<b>17 A</b>
Buried Cable - Metallic	2423.2	7,553,006	242,439	<b>18 A</b>
Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic	2424.1	0		<b>19</b>
Submarine Cable - Metallic	2424.2	0		<b>20</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic	2426.1	0		<b>21</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic	2426.2	0		<b>22</b>

Explain all amounts shown in column (g).

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLANT IN SERVICE CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)**  
(cont.)

<b>Subaccount (e)</b>	<b>Retirements (f)</b>	<b>Transfers / Adjustments (g)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (h)</b>	
2123.1	7,082		<b>7,943</b>	<b>1</b>
2123.2			<b>13,805</b>	<b>2</b>
2212.1			<b>195,570</b>	<b>3</b>
2212.2			<b>2,115,575</b>	<b>4</b>
2212.3			<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>
2215.1			<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>
2215.2			<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>
2231.1			<b>20,163</b>	<b>8</b>
2231.2			<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>
2232.1		(2,801)	<b>823,907</b>	<b>10 A</b>
2232.2			<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>
2232.3			<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
2421.1			<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>
2421.2			<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>
2422.1			<b>102,440</b>	<b>15</b>
2422.2		(43,821)	<b>233,449</b>	<b>16 A</b>
2423.1		(8,937)	<b>1,189,425</b>	<b>17 A</b>
2423.2	92,395	55,559	<b>7,758,609</b>	<b>18 A</b>
2424.1			<b>0</b>	<b>19</b>
2424.2			<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>
2426.1			<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>
2426.2			<b>0</b>	<b>22</b>

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B**

<b>Primary Plant Account (a)</b>	<b>Acct (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Depr Rate (d)</b>	<b>Annual Accrual (e)</b>	<b>Additional Accrual (f)</b>	
<b>GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS</b>						
Motor Vehicles	2112	85,039	15.73	9,790		<b>1</b>
Aircraft	2113	0				<b>2</b>
Special Purpose Vehicles	2114	0				<b>3</b>
Garage Work Equipment	2115	0				<b>4</b>
Other Work Equipment	2116	101,059	9.0	14,118		<b>5</b>
Buildings	2121	234,082	3.25	17,589		<b>6</b>
Furniture	2122	9,578	6.78	1,570		<b>7</b>
Office Equipment	2123	28,730	15.0			<b>8</b>
General Purpose Computers	2124	64,929	20.0	14,891		<b>9</b>
<b>Total-- GENERAL SUPPORT ASSETS</b>		<b>523,417</b>		<b>57,958</b>		<b>0</b>
<b>CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS</b>						
Analog Electronic Switching	2211	0				<b>10</b>
Digital Electronic Switching	2212	1,682,061	9.09	209,917	371,269	<b>11</b>
Electro-Mechanical Switching	2215	0				<b>12</b>
Operator Systems	2220	0				<b>13</b>
Radio Systems	2231	20,163	10.0			<b>14</b>
Circuit Equipment	2232	621,937	6.63	83,990		<b>15</b>
<b>Total-- CENTRAL OFFICE ASSETS</b>		<b>2,324,161</b>		<b>293,907</b>	<b>371,269</b>	
<b>INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS</b>						
Station Apparatus	2311	0				<b>16</b>
Customer Premises Wiring	2321	0				<b>17</b>
Large Private Branch Exchanges	2341	0				<b>18</b>
Public Telephone Terminal Equipment	2351	0				<b>19</b>
Other Terminal Equipment	2362	1,596	.0			<b>20</b>
<b>Total-- INFORMATION ORIG/TERM ASSETS</b>		<b>1,596</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>						
Poles	2411	0				<b>21</b>
Aerial Cable	2421	0				<b>22</b>
Underground Cable	2422	139,130	5.62	19,862		<b>23</b>
Buried Cable	2423	4,460,792	5.4	462,896		<b>24</b>
Submarine Cable	2424	0				<b>25</b>
Deep Sea Cable	2425	0				<b>26</b>
Intrabuilding Network Cable	2426	0				<b>27</b>
Aerial Wire	2431	0				<b>28</b>

## ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B

Primary Plant Account (a)	Acct (b)	Balance FOY (c)	Depr Rate (d)	Annual Accrual (e)	Additional Accrual (f)
<b>CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>					
Conduit Systems	2441	309,248	3.5	40,224	<b>29</b>
<b>Total-- CABLE WIRE FACILITIES ASSETS</b>		<b>4,909,170</b>		<b>522,982</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<b>3100</b>	<b>7,758,344</b>		<b>874,847</b>	<b>371,269</b>
Less: Allocation to Nonregulated Activity - Columns e, f and I	3100				<b>30</b>
<b>Net Regulated Total Accum Depreciation - 3100</b>					
<b>Columns e, f and I</b>					

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Acct (g)</b>	<b>Retired (h)</b>	<b>Cost of Removal (i)</b>	<b>Salvage (j)</b>	<b>Other (k)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (l)</b>	
2112					94,829	1
2113					0	2
2114					0	3
2115					0	4
2116					115,177	5
2121	10,656	458			240,557	6
2122	8,088		20		3,080	7
2123	7,082				21,648	8
2124	10,679				69,141	9
	<b>36,505</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>544,432</b>	
2211					0	10
2212	0	34			2,263,213	11
2215	0				0	12
2220					0	13
2231	0				20,163	14
2232	0				705,927	15
	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,989,303</b>	
2311					0	16
2321					0	17
2341					0	18
2351					0	19
2362					1,596	20
	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,596</b>	
2411					0	21
2421	0				0	22
2422	0				158,992	23
2423	92,395	550			4,830,743	24
2424	0				0	25
2425					0	26
2426	0				0	27
2431					0	28

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (cont.)**

<b>Acct (g)</b>	<b>Retired (h)</b>	<b>Cost of Removal (i)</b>	<b>Salvage (j)</b>	<b>Other (k)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (l)</b>	
2441					349,472	29
	92,395	550	0	0	5,339,207	
<b>3100</b>	<b>128,900</b>	<b>1,042</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,874,538</b>	
3100						30
<b>3100</b>						

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS)**

Where subclassifications of primary plant accounts are used, report below the accumulated depreciation details for each subaccount. Amounts pertaining to subaccount 2212.4, Test Equipment, should be reported in account 2212.2, Digital Switching - Central Office; amounts for subaccounts 2231.3, Microwave, 2231.4, Cellular, 2231.5, Mobile Radio, and 2231.6, Paging, should be included in 2231.2, Other Radio Facilities; amounts pertaining to subaccounts 2232.4, Digital Data Services, 2232.5, Digital Circuit - Subscriber, 2232.6, Digital Circuit - Trunk - Toll, and 2232.7, Concentrators, should be reported in 2232.1, Digital Circuit Equipment. Any other separate accounting for telephone accumulated depreciation at an individual telephone company should be consolidated and reported in the primary accounts as defined in the uniform system of accounts.

<b>Plant Subaccount (a)</b>	<b>Subacct (b)</b>	<b>Balance FOY (c)</b>	<b>Depr Rate (d)</b>	<b>Annual Accrual (e)</b>	<b>Additional Accrual (f)</b>	
Office Support Equipment	2123.1	15,025	15.0			<b>1</b>
Company Communications Equipment	2123.2	13,705	20.0			<b>2</b>
Software	2212.1	195,570	25.0			<b>3</b>
Digital Switching - Central Office	2212.2	1,486,491	10.0	209,917	371,269	<b>4</b>
Digital Switching - Remote	2212.3	0				<b>5</b>
Step by Step Switching	2215.1	0				<b>6</b>
Crossbar Switching	2215.2	0				<b>7</b>
Satellite and Earth Station Facilities	2231.1	20,163	10.0			<b>8</b>
Other Radio Facilities	2231.2	0				<b>9</b>
Digital Circuit Equipment	2232.1	621,937	10.3	83,990		<b>10</b>
Analog Circuit Equipment	2232.2	0				<b>11</b>
Light Wave Circuit Equipment	2232.3	0				<b>12</b>
Aerial Cable - Nonmetallic	2421.1	0				<b>13</b>
Aerial Cable - Metallic	2421.2	0				<b>14</b>
Underground Cable - Nonmetallic	2422.1	33,806	5.5	5,635		<b>15</b>
Underground Cable - Metallic	2422.2	105,324	5.5	14,227		<b>16</b>
Buried Cable - Nonmetallic	2423.1	178,554	5.5	45,525		<b>17</b>
Buried Cable - Metallic	2423.2	4,282,238	5.5	417,371		<b>18</b>
Submarine Cable - Nonmetallic	2424.1	0				<b>19</b>
Submarine Cable - Metallic	2424.2	0				<b>20</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Nonmetallic	2426.1	0				<b>21</b>
Intrabuilding Cable - Metallic	2426.2	0				<b>22</b>

**ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION CLASS A & B (SUB-CLASS ACCOUNTS) (cont.)**

<b>Subacct (g)</b>	<b>Retired (h)</b>	<b>Cost of Removal (i)</b>	<b>Salvage (j)</b>	<b>Other (k)</b>	<b>Balance EOY (l)</b>	
2123.1	7,082				7,943	1
2123.2					13,705	2
2212.1					195,570	3
2212.2		34			2,067,643	4
2212.3					0	5
2215.1					0	6
2215.2					0	7
2231.1					20,163	8
2231.2					0	9
2232.1					705,927	10
2232.2					0	11
2232.3					0	12
2421.1					0	13
2421.2					0	14
2422.1					39,441	15
2422.2					119,551	16
2423.1					224,079	17
2423.2	92,395	550			4,606,664	18
2424.1					0	19
2424.2					0	20
2426.1					0	21
2426.2					0	22

### RETAINED EARNINGS (ACCT. 4550)

Particulars (a)	This Year (b)	Last Year (c)	
Balance-First of Year	6,979,788	6,399,778	1
<b>Changes:</b>			
Balance Transferred from Income	581,138	883,410	2
<b>Dividends Declared:</b>			
Common	294,840	230,920	3
Preferred		0	4
<b>Total Dividends Declared</b>	<b>294,840</b>	<b>230,920</b>	
Miscellaneous Debits to Retained Earnings		72,480	5
Miscellaneous Credits to Retained Earnings	65,520	0	6
<b>Balance--End of Year</b>	<b><u>7,331,606</u></b>	<b><u>6,979,788</u></b>	

**REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>LOCAL NETWORK SERVICES REVENUES</b>			
Basic Local Service Revenue (5000)*	938,358	902,470	1
Basic Area Revenue (5001)			2
Optional Extended Area Revenue (5002)			3
Cellular Mobile Revenue (5003)			4
Other Mobile Services Revenue (5004)			5
Public Telephone Revenue (5010)			6
Local Private Line Revenue (5040)			7
Customer Premises Revenue (5050)			8
Other Local Exchange Revenue (5060)			9
Other Local Exchange Revenue Settlements (5069)			10
<b>TOTAL BASIC LOCAL SERVICE REVENUE (5000)</b>	<b>938,358</b>	<b>902,470</b>	
<b>NETWORK INTERSTATE ACCESS SERVICES REV.</b>			
End User Revenue (5081)*	231,329	229,011	11
Switched Access Revenue (5082)*	862,074	1,085,826	12 G
Special Access Revenue (5083)*	174,271	52,979	13 G
<b>TOTAL INTERSTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5080)</b>	<b>1,267,674</b>	<b>1,367,816</b>	
<b>NETWORK INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICES REV.</b>			
End User Revenue (5084.1)*	0	0	14
Switched Access Revenue (5084.2)*	695,090	691,780	15 G
Special Access Revenue (5084.3)*	87,120	52,726	16 G
<b>TOTAL INTRASTATE ACCESS REVENUES (5084)</b>	<b>782,210</b>	<b>744,506</b>	
<b>LONG DISTANCE NETWORK SERVICES MESSAGE REV.</b>			
Long Distance Message Revenue (5100)*	0	0	17
Long Distance Inward-Only Revenue (5111)			18
Long Distance Outward-Only Revenue (5112)			19
<b>Unidirectional Long Distance Revenue (5110)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Long Distance Private Network Revenues</b>			
Subvoice Grade Revenue (5121)			20
Voice Grade Revenue (5122)			21
Audio Program Grade Revenue (5123)			22
Video Program Grade Revenue (5124)			23
Digital Transmission Revenue (5125)			24
Switching Revenue (5126)			25
Other Revenue (5128)			26
Other Revenue Settlements (5129)			27
<b>Total Long Distance Private Network Revenue</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
Other Long Distance Revenue (5160)			28
Other Long Distance Revenue Settlements (5169)			29
<b>TOTAL LONG DISTANCE NET. SERVICES MESSAGE REV.</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

**REVENUES - CLASS A & B (CLASS B USE ACCOUNTS DESIGNATED BY \*)**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES</b>			
Directory Revenue (5230)*	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>30</b>
Rent Revenue (5240)*	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>31</b>
Corporate Operations Revenue (5250)*	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>32</b>
<b>Miscellaneous:</b>			
Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)*	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>33</b>
Special Billing Arrangements Revenue (5261)	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>34</b>
Customer Operations Revenue (5262)	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>35</b>
Plant Operations Revenue (5263)	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>36</b>
Other Incidental Regulated Revenue (5264)	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>37</b>
Other Revenue Settlements (5269)	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>38</b>
<b>Total Miscellaneous Revenue (5260)</b>	<b>---CONF---</b>	<b>---CONF---</b>	
Interstate Billing and Collection Revenue*	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>39 G</b>
Intrastate Billing and Collection Revenue*	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>40 G</b>
<b>Total Carrier Billing and Collection Revenue (5270)*</b>	<b>---CONF---</b>	<b>---CONF---</b>	
Nonregulated Operating Revenue (5280)**	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>41</b>
<b>TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES</b>	<b>250,301</b>	<b>253,694</b>	
<b>GROSS OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>3,238,543</b>	<b>3,268,486</b>	
<b>UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES</b>			
Uncollectible Revenue (5300)*	(3,462)	10,679	<b>42 H</b>
Uncollectible Revenue--Telecommunications (5301)			<b>43</b>
Uncollectible Revenue--Other (5302)			<b>44</b>
<b>TOTAL UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUE (5300)</b>	<b>(3,462)</b>	<b>10,679</b>	
<b>TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>3,242,005</b>	<b>3,257,807</b>	

\*\* Account 5280 is to be used only by those companies subject to dual jurisdiction.

**EXPENSES - CLASS A & B**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Total This Year (b)</b>	<b>Total Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>			
Total Network Support Expense ( 6110 )	0	0	1
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	2
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
Total General Support Expense ( 6120 )	50,193	35,801	4
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	5 c
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>50,193</b>	<b>35,801</b>	<b>6</b>
Total Central Office Switching Expense ( 6210 )	98,983	84,272	7
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	8
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>98,983</b>	<b>84,272</b>	<b>9</b>
Total Operator Systems Expense ( 6220 )	0	0	10
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	11
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
Total Central Office Transmission Expenses ( 6230 )	34,010	28,354	13
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	14
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>34,010</b>	<b>28,354</b>	<b>15</b>
Total Information Orig. / Term. Expense ( 6310 )	0	0	16
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	17
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>
Total Cable and Wire Fac. Expense ( 6410 )	44,596	139,702	19
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	20 d
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>44,596</b>	<b>139,702</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>TOTAL PLANT SPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>	<b>227,782</b>	<b>288,129</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>227,782</b>	<b>288,129</b>	
<b>PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>			
Total Other Property, Plant and Equip. Exp. ( 6510 )	0	0	22
Less: Nonregulated		0	23
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>
Total Network Operations Expense ( 6530 )	101,950	66,900	25
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	26 E
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>101,950</b>	<b>66,900</b>	<b>27</b>
Access Expense ( 6540 )	14,217	13,737	28
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	29
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>14,217</b>	<b>13,737</b>	<b>30</b>
Total Depreciation and Amortization Expense ( 6560 )	1,246,115	836,970	31
Less: Nonregulated		0	32 F
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>1,246,115</b>	<b>836,970</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>TOTAL PLANT NONSPECIFIC OPERATIONS EXP.</b>	<b>1,362,282</b>	<b>917,607</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>1,362,282</b>	<b>917,607</b>	

**EXPENSES - CLASS A & B**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>Total This Year (b)</b>	<b>Total Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>			
Total Marketing ( 6610 )	1,916	2,972	<b>34</b>
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	<b>35</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>1,916</b>	<b>2,972</b>	<b>36</b>
Total Services ( 6620 )	274,782	266,171	<b>37</b>
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	<b>38</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>274,782</b>	<b>266,171</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>TOTAL CUSTOMER OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>	<b>276,698</b>	<b>269,143</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>276,698</b>	<b>269,143</b>	
<b>CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>			
Total Exec. and Planning ( 6710 )	72,421	42,766	<b>40</b>
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	<b>41 E</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>72,421</b>	<b>42,766</b>	<b>42</b>
Total General and Administrative ( 6720 )	233,424	245,635	<b>43</b>
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	<b>44</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>233,424</b>	<b>245,635</b>	<b>45</b>
Provision for Uncollectible Notes Receiv. ( 6790 )	0	0	<b>46</b>
Less: Nonregulated	0	0	<b>47</b>
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>TOTAL CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE</b>	<b>305,845</b>	<b>288,401</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>305,845</b>	<b>288,401</b>	
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>2,172,607</b>	<b>1,763,280</b>	
<b>Less: Nonregulated</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Net Regulated</b>	<b>2,172,607</b>	<b>1,763,280</b>	

### EXPENSES - CLASS A & B (DETAIL)

Particulars (a)	Total This Year (b)	Total Last Year (c)	
Property Held for Future Tele. Use Exp. ( 6511 )	0	0	1
Provisioning Expense ( 6512 )	0	0	2
<b>Total: Reported in Account 6510</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
Depreciat. Exp.--Tele. Plant in Service ( 6561 )	1,246,115	836,970	3 F
Depreciat. Exp.--Prop. Held for Future Tele. Use ( 6562 )	0	0	4
Amortization Expense--Tangible ( 6563 )	0	0	5
Amortization Expense--Intangible ( 6564 )	0	0	6
Amortization Expense--Other ( 6565 )	0	0	7
<b>Total: Reported in Account 6560</b>	<b>1,246,115</b>	<b>836,970</b>	

## CALCULATION OF ASSESSABLE REVENUES FOR REMAINDER AND TELEPHONE RELAY ASSESSMENT PURPOSES

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Description (a)	This Year (b)	
Gross Operating Revenues	3,238,543	1
Plus: Collection of amounts previously written off	14,372	2
Less: Uncollectibles written off during the year	10,911	3
Plus: Total Other Operating Income and (Expense) (7100)	0	4
Less: Nonregulated Operating Revenue (included in Gross Oper. Rev. on Line 1)		5
Plus: Nonregulated Net Write Off Amount (included on lines 2 and 3)		6
Less: Out-of-State Operating Revenues (included in Gross Oper. Rev. on Line 1)		7
Plus (or Less) Other (please specify): NONE	0	8
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Description (a)	This Year (b)	
Total Basic Local Service Revenue (5000)	938,358	1
Plus: Total Intrastate Access Revenues (5084)	782,210	2
Plus: Total Long Distance Network Services Revenue	0	3
Less: Out-of-State Operating Revenues (included in the above lines)	0	4
Plus: Intrastate Payphone Revenues	---CONF---	5
Plus (or Less) Other (please specify): none	0	6
<b>Assessable Revenues for Universal Service Fund Assessment Purposes</b>	<b><u>---CONF---</u></b>	

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<b>Assessable Revenues for Universal Service Fund Assessment Purposes</b>	<b><u>---CONF---</u></b>	

**OTHER INCOME ACCOUNTS**

<b>Particulars (a)</b>	<b>This Year (b)</b>	<b>Last Year (c)</b>	
<b>OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE</b>			
Total Other Oper. Income and (Expense) (7100)	0	0	1
<b>OPERATING TAXES</b>			
Operating Investment Tax Credits--Net (7210)	(16,326)	(21,773)	2
Operating Federal Income Taxes (7220)	328,820	216,222	3
Operating State and Local Income Taxes (7230)	77,056	50,427	4
Operating Other Taxes (7240)	142,233	187,728	5
Provision for Deferred Operating Income Taxes--Net (7250)	(134,006)	68,397	6
<b>TOTAL OPERATING TAXES (7200)</b>	<b>397,777</b>	<b>501,001</b>	
<b>NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE</b>			
Dividend Income (7310)	0	0	7
Interest Income (7320)	223,755	277,957	8
Income from Sinking and Other Funds (7330)	0	0	9
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction (7340)	17,400	0	10
Gains or (Losses) from the Disposition of Certain Property (7350)	0	0	11
Other Nonoperating Income (7360)	11,330	(17,071)	12
Special Charges (7370)	21,202	11,172	13
<b>TOTAL NONOPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSE (7300)</b>	<b>231,283</b>	<b>249,714</b>	
<b>NONOPERATING TAXES</b>			
Total Nonoperating Taxes (7400)	85,122	102,595	14
<b>INTEREST AND RELATED ITEMS</b>			
Total Interest and Related Items (7500)	238,379	250,962	15
<b>EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS</b>			
Extraordinary Items (7600)	0	0	16
<b>NONREGULATED NET INCOME</b>			
Nonregulated Net Income (7990)	1,735	(6,273)	17

## NONREGULATED ACTIVITIES

List the type of nonregulated activities that the company is involved in.

Nonregulated Activity (a)	
---CONF---	1
---CONF---	2
---CONF---	3

**TELEPHONE CALLS AND MINUTES OF USE PER MONTH**

Enter average number, in thousands, of calls and minutes of use per month. The averages may be based on actual counts taken periodically during the year. Please provide level of detail available.

Item (a)	Telephone Calls (000's) (b)	Minutes of Use (000's) (c)	
<b>LOCAL</b>			
Intra-Exchange	---CONF---	---CONF---	1
Extended Area Service	---CONF---	---CONF---	2
Extended Community Calling	---CONF---	---CONF---	3
Other Local-Undefined	---CONF---	---CONF---	4
<b>Total Local</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>2,156</b>	
<b>TOLL</b>			
Toll	280	1,019	5
<b>Total Toll</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>1,019</b>	
<b>Total Local &amp; Toll</b>	<b>1,139</b>	<b>3,175</b>	

## ACCESS USAGE

Enter number, in thousands, of Billed Minutes.

Description (a)	Billed Minutes (000's)				
	Interstate InterLATA (b)	Intrastate InterLATA (c)	Intrastate IntraLATA (d)	Interstate IntraLATA (e)	
Feature Group A -- Orig.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	1
Feature Group A -- Term.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	2
Feature Group B -- Orig.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	3
Feature Group B -- Term.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	4
Feature Group C -- Orig.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	5
Feature Group C -- Term.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	6
Feature Group D -- Orig.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	7
Feature Group D -- Term.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	8

### OUTSIDE PLANT STATISTICS AT END OF YEAR

Description of Item (a)	Amount (b)	
Sheath miles of plant - fiber optics	39	1
Strand miles of plant - fiber optics	1,675	2
Route miles of plant - microwave	0	3

### SPECIAL ACCESS CIRCUITS IN USE AT END OF YEAR

Circuit Type (a)	InterLATA Chan. Terms. (b)	IntraLATA Chan. Terms. (c)	
Voice grade	---CONF---	---CONF---	1
56 kbps	---CONF---	---CONF---	2
64 kbps (DS0)	---CONF---	---CONF---	3 B
1.54 Mbps (DS-1)	---CONF---	---CONF---	4
45 Mbps (DS-3)	---CONF---	---CONF---	5 B
SONET OC-1	---CONF---	---CONF---	6
SONET OC-3	---CONF---	---CONF---	7
SONET OC-12	---CONF---	---CONF---	8
SONET OC-48	---CONF---	---CONF---	9
SONET OC-192	---CONF---	---CONF---	10

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SONET OC-192	---CONF---	---CONF---	10

**SERVICE DATA**

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Item (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)	
<b>Business</b>			
1 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	3
2 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	4
4 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	5
PBX Trunks/System Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	6
Centrex Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	7
Centrex Lines	---CONF---	---CONF---	8
Key System Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	9
Mobile (Utility Provided Service)	---CONF---	---CONF---	10
Paging (Utility Provided Service)	---CONF---	---CONF---	11
FX-Out (Switched)	---CONF---	---CONF---	12
Pay Telephone	---CONF---	---CONF---	13
Coin-Operated Pay Telephone	---CONF---	---CONF---	14
Independent Pay Telephone Provider	---CONF---	---CONF---	15
Pay Stations - Public	---CONF---	---CONF---	16
- Semi-Public	---CONF---	---CONF---	17
- Cust. Owned	---CONF---	---CONF---	18
Other	---CONF---	---CONF---	19
<b>Total Business Lines</b>	<b>1,186</b>	<b>1,189</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)</b>			
1 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	22
2 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	23
4 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	24
FX-Out (Switched)	---CONF---	---CONF---	25
Other	---CONF---	---CONF---	26
<b>Total Residential Lines</b>	<b>3,616</b>	<b>3,684</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Total Bus &amp; Res Lines</b>	<b>4,802</b>	<b>4,873</b>	<b>28</b>
Company Used Lines	52	52	29
<b>Total Lines Used</b>	<b>4,854</b>	<b>4,925</b>	<b>30</b>

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Item (a)	FOY (b)	EOY (c)	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>			
WATS Lines - OutWATS	---CONF---	---CONF---	3
WATS Lines - 800 Service	---CONF---	---CONF---	4
FX-In-intraLATA	---CONF---	---CONF---	5
Special Access-intraLATA			6
(expressed in equiv. access lines)	---CONF---	---CONF---	7
Special Access-interLATA			8
(expressed in equiv. access lines)	---CONF---	---CONF---	9
Feature Group A Lines	---CONF---	---CONF---	10
Feature Group B Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	11
Feature Group C Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	12
Feature Group D Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	13
TSPS - Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	14
EAS - Trunks	48	48	15
Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)	---CONF---	---CONF---	16
Video Distance Learning			17
- discounted (special tariff)			18
<b>Customers</b>			
Business - 2 Party Customers			19
Business - 4 Party Customers			20
Residential - 2 Party Customers			21
Residential - 4 Party Customers			22
<b>Other</b>			
Total Central Office, Info. Orig./Term., & Cable			23
Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical			24
location of plant)	12,851,093	13,591,811	25
Total Company Square Miles	407	407	26
Total Company Route Miles	420	463	27
Footnotes			28
			29
			30

**SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR**

Access Line--Central office line equipment, or equivalent, and all outside plant facilities, or equivalent, required to connect the serving central office with the customer premises via physical connection, frequency, and/or time slot. From an engineering perspective, a channel connection is at a DS0 level. A DS0 level is a 4 KHz voice or 64 Kilobits/second. Customer--A person who uses a telephone as a subscriber.

Item (a)	Exchange (b)	Exchange (c)	Exchange (d)	Exchange (e)	
PSCW Exchange ID	4180	4400	4985		1
<b>Business</b>					2
1 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		3
2 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		4
4 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		5
PBX Trunks/System Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		6
Centrex Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		7
Centrex Lines	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		8
Key System Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		9
Mobile (utility provided service)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		10
Paging (utility provided service)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		11
FX-Out (Switched)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		12
Pay Telephone	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		13
Coin-Operated Pay Telephone	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		14
Independent Pay Telephone Provider	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		15
Pay Stations - Public	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		16
- Semi-Public	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		17
- Cust. Owned	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		18
Other	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		19
<b>Total Business Lines</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	20
<b>Residential (Incl. Emp. Concess.)</b>					21
1 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		22
2 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		23
4 Party	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		24
FX-Out (Switched)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		25
Other	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		26
<b>Total Residential Lines</b>	<b>2,672</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>0</b>	27
<b>Total Bus &amp; Res Lines</b>	<b>3,593</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>0</b>	28
Company Used Lines	44	4	4		29
<b>Total Lines Used</b>	<b>3,637</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>0</b>	30

**SERVICE DATA - END OF YEAR (cont.)**

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Item (a)	Exchange (b)	Exchange (c)	Exchange (d)	Exchange (e)	
PSCW Exchange ID	4180	4400	4985		1
<b>Miscellaneous</b>					2
WATS Lines - OutWATS	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		3
WATS Lines - 800 Service	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		4
FX-In-intraLATA	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		5
Special Access-intraLATA					6
(equiv. access lines)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		7
Special Access-interLATA					8
(equiv. access lines)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		9
Feature Group A Lines	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		10
Feature Group B Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		11
Feature Group C Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		12
Feature Group D Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		13
TSPS - Trunks	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		14
EAS - Trunks	48				15
Cellular Trunks (Pub. Sw. Net.)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---		16
Video Distance Learning					17
- discounted (special tariff)					18
<b>Customers</b>					19
Business - 2 Party Customers					20
Business - 4 Party Customers					21
Residential - 2 Party Customers					22
Residential - 4 Party Customers					23
<b>Other</b>					24
Exchange C.O., Info. Orig./Term., & Cable					25
Wire Fac. Assets (based on physical location of plant)	9,967,530	1,625,648	1,998,633		26
Exchange Square Miles	227	74	106		27
Exchange Route Miles	290	84	89		28
Footnotes					29
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## MANUFACTURER ABBREVIATIONS

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Manufacturer Name (a)	Abbreviation (b)	
Alcatel	AL	1
ATTC	ATT	2
GTE	GTE	3
ITT	ITT	4
Lucent	ATT/LUC	5
Nippon Electric	NEC	6
Northern Telecom	NTI	7
Siemens	SI	8
Stromberg-Carlson	SC	9
VIDAR	VI	10

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**CENTRAL OFFICE DATA - END OF YEAR**

When an exchange has more than one central office, data must be reported for each central office.

<b>Description (a)</b>	<b>Central Off. (b)</b>	<b>Central Off. (c)</b>	<b>Central Off. (d)</b>	<b>Central Off. (e)</b>	
Exchange Name	PHILLIPS	PHILLIPS	PRENTICE	SOO LAKE	<b>1</b>
PSCW Exchange ID	4180	4180	4400	4985	<b>2</b>
Central Office Name	PHILLIPS	MUSSER	PRENTICE	SOO LAKE	<b>3</b>
PSCW Central Office ID	1	2	1	1	<b>4</b>
Manufacturer of COE (Page 54)	SC	SC	SC	SC	<b>5</b>
Year COE Installed	1991	1991	1991	1991	<b>6</b>
Type of Equipment (Page 54)	D	D	D	D	<b>7</b>
(S)tandalone, (H)ost, (R)emote	H	R	R	R	<b>8</b>
Remote Host PSCW Exchange ID		4180	4180	4180	<b>9</b>
Remote Host PSCW Central Office ID	0	1	1	1	<b>10</b>
COE Generic Software Release No.	21.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	<b>11</b>
SS7?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>12</b>
9-1-1?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>13</b>
Access Lines - In Use	3,637	0	803	485	<b>14</b>
- Equipped	4,140	0	900	630	<b>15</b>
- Wired	4,140	0	900	630	<b>16</b>
Trunks - In Use	386	0	0	0	<b>17</b>
- Equipped	464	0	0	0	<b>18</b>
- Wired	588	0	0	0	<b>19</b>
ISDN Available?	No	No	No	No	<b>20</b>
ISDN Lines - In Use (BRI)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>21</b>
- In Use (PRI)	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>22</b>
Switched 56 Service?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>23</b>
Switched 56 lines in use	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>24</b>
Digital Transmission Facilities: DS-1 - In Use	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>25</b>
DS-3 - In Use	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>26</b>
Advanced Data Service Available:					
Packet Switching?	No	No	No	No	<b>27</b>
SMDS?	No	No	No	No	<b>28</b>
Frame Relay?	No	No	No	No	<b>29</b>
ATM (Asynchronous Trans. Mode)?	No	No	No	No	<b>30</b>
Video Information - Service Available?	No	No	No	No	<b>31</b>
- In Use (# lines) <sup>1</sup>	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>32</b>
Fiber Transmission Facilities:					
No. of fiber strands entering C.O.	108	0	28	16	<b>33</b>
No. of fiber strands working (LIT) in C.O.	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	---CONF---	<b>34</b>
No. of fiber strands for interoffice use	8	0	0	0	<b>35</b>
Miles of fiber sheath in wire center	24	0	9	6	<b>36</b>
Access Tandem Serving this C.O.:					
- C.O. Name	RICE LAKE	RICE LAKE	RICE LAKE	RICE LAKE	<b>37</b>
- PSCW C.O. ID	4570-01	4570-01	4570-01	4570-01	<b>38</b>
Does this C.O. do access tandem switching?	No	No	No	No	<b>39</b>
Equal Access: InterLATA (1+)?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>40</b>
Equal Access: IntraLATA (1+)?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	<b>41</b>
Footnotes					<b>42</b>

<sup>1</sup> Teleco provided end-to-end facility.

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Exchange Name	SOO LAKE				1
PSCW Exchange ID	4985				2
Central Office Name	CONNORS				3
PSCW Central Office ID	2				4
Manufacturer of COE (Page 54)	SC				5
Year COE Installed	1991				6
Type of Equipment (Page 54)	D				7
(S)tandalone, (H)ost, (R)emote	R				8
Remote Host PSCW Exchange ID	4180				9
Remote Host PSCW Central Office ID	1				10
COE Generic Software Release No.	21.0				11
SS7?	Yes				12
9-1-1?	Yes				13
Access Lines - In Use	0				14
- Equipped	0				15
- Wired	0				16
Trunks - In Use	0				17
- Equipped	0				18
- Wired	0				19
ISDN Available?	No				20
ISDN Lines - In Use (BRI)	---CONF---				21
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SMDS?	No				28
Frame Relay?	No				29
ATM (Asynchronous Trans. Mode)?	No				30
Video Information - Service Available?	No				31
- In Use (# lines) <sup>1</sup>	---CONF---				32
Fiber Transmission Facilities:					
No. of fiber strands entering C.O.	0				33
No. of fiber strands working (LIT) in C.O.	---CONF---				34
No. of fiber strands for interoffice use	0				35
Miles of fiber sheath in wire center	0				36
Access Tandem Serving this C.O.:					
- C.O. Name	RICE LAKE				37
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## GENERAL, SCHEDULE LEVEL AND SCHEDULE LINE FOOTNOTES

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### General Footnote

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### Schedule Footnotes

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### Schedule Line Footnotes

- A) Report trnasfer to correctly reflect company General Ledger balances per the prescribed Uniform System of Accounts, Part 32.
- B) None applicable.
- C) Uncapitalized portion of extensive office remodeling.
- D) Financial and physical resources concentrated on capital improvements during 2000 as opposed to expense (maintenance).
- E) Redirection of job functions and responsibilities from accounting and customer service to network and executive of management personnel in light of the addition of an in-house accountant and customer service representative in 1999.
- F) Reduced estimated service lifes of certain telephone plant, mainly central office equipment, in anticipation of retirements in connection with new central office switching equipment resulted in an additional accrual of \$371.269.
- G) Irregular account coding of receipts and disbursements. When like account categories are combined the resultant variance is within acceptable parameters.
- H) Entry in January, 2000 correcting a miscoded PARs invoice as noted in Footnote D of the 1999 annual report. Increased attention to customer account balance awareness and collection activity.